

AN: PAT 1996-079517 Optimal matching of hearing aid to patient's hearing TI: deficiency employs thematic sub gps. of everyday sound patterns represented by signal characteristics corresp. to statistical average for each gp. PN: EP695107-A1 31.01.1996 PD: AB: The parameters of the hearing aid are adjusted in accordance with the signal characteristics of natural sound patterns corresp. to pref. hearing situations and with audiological data related to the impaired hearing. The pref. frequency-dependent amplification is determined by reference to a formula involving the hearing loss at each frequency, raised to a power and multiplied by a coefft. which are obtd. by regression analysis from the results of a series of tests.; A more acceptable aid improves the acoustic perception of speech signals in a natural speech environment and of everyday environmental sounds in situation relevant to patients. PA: (HOER-) HOERGERAETE GEERS GMBH & CO KG; IN: GEERS W; FA: EP695107-A1 31.01.1996; DE4427044-A1 01.02.1996; CO: AT; BE; CH; DE; DK; EP; ES; FR; GB; IT; LI; NL; PT; SE; DR: AT; BE; CH; DE; DK; ES; FR; GB; IT; LI; NL; PT; SE; IC: A61B-005/12; H04R-025/00; MC: S05-D01D; W04-Y03A; W04-Y20; DC: S05; W04; PR: DE4427044 29.07.1994; 31.01.1996 FP: UP: 26.02.1996